

OT 15 2001 SE

Atty. Docket No. ONE01 P-300

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper, together with all enclosures identified herein, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington D.C. 20231, on the date indicated below.

10-12-3001

Date

Jacki R. Buckley

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICERECEIVED

Art Unit

2635

OCT 1 7 2001

**Applicant** 

Christopher J. Klein et al.

**Technology Center 2600** 

Appln. No.

09/862,857 May 22, 2001

Filed Confirmation No.

8374

For

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REMOTE OPENING OF

HANDICAP ACCESS DOORS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the filing date of the above-referenced application but, to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed documents are submitted herewith along with Form PTO-1449. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If it should be determined that any of the listed documents do not

Applicant

Christopher J. Klein et al.

Appln. No.

09/862,857

Page

constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Statement, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 16-2463.

Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTOPHER J. KLEIN ET AL.

By: Price, Heneveld, Cooper, DeWitt & Litton

Date

Terry S. Callaghan

Registration No. 34 559

695 Kenmoor, S.E. Post Office Box 2567

Grand Rapids, MI 49501

(616) 949-9610

TSC/jrb

2	h	0	٥t	1	٥f	4

FORM PTO-14-5 P E (Rev. 2-32)	
TA TRADEMA	

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE** 

STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use several sheets if necessary)

ATTY. DOCKET NO. ONE01 P-300

SERIAL NO. 09/862,857

**APPLICANTS** 

May 22, 2001

Christopher J. Klein et al.

**FILING DATE** 

Technology Center 2600

#### **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER						BER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	5	9	0	3	2	2	6	05/11/99	Suman et al.	340	825	<del></del> .
	5	8	5	4	5	9	3	12/29/98	Dykema et al.	340	825	
	5	7	0	8	4	1	5	01/13/98	Van Lente et al.	340	525	
	5	6	9	9	0	5	5	12/16/97	Dykema et al.	340	825	
	5	6	9	9	þ	5	4	12/16/97	Duckworth	340	825	
	5	6	8	6	9	0	3	11/11/97	Duckworth et al.	340	825	
	5	6	6	1	8	0	4	08/26/97	Dykema et al.	380	21	
	5	6	6	1	6	5	1	08/26/97	Geschke et al.	364	424	
	5	6	4	6	7	0	1	07/08/97	Duckworth et al.	340	825	
	5	6	2	7	5	2	9	05/06/97	Duckworth et al.	340	825	-
	5	6	1	9	1	9	0	04/08/97	Duckworth et al.	340	825	

#### **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

	DC	DOCUMENT NUMBER DATE COUNTRY CLASS		SUBCLASS	TRANS	LATION						
											YES	NO
					Ĺ							
				L		乚	Ш	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
												<u></u>

#### OTHER DOCUMENTS (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINE	ER.	DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

C	heel	. 2	~ 6	•
			w	-

FORM PTO 1949 (Rev. 2,62), PE	
or 15 20th S	
TENT & TRADEMENT	_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)

ATTY. DOCKET NO.	SERIAL NO.
ONE01 P-300	09/862,857
APPLICANTS	•
Christopher J. Klein et al.	
FILING DATE	GROUP
May 22, 2001	2635 DECENT

OCT 1 7 2001

#### **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

## **Technology Center 2600**

EXAMINER											FILING DATE	
INITIAL	D	OCL	JME	IN	N	JME	BER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	IF APPROPRIATE
	5	6	1	4	8	9	1	03/25/97	Zeinstra et al.	340	825	
	5	6	1	4	8	8	5	03/25/97	Van Lente et al.	340	525	
	5	5	8	3	4	8	5	12/10/96	Van Lente et al.	340	525	
	 5	4	7	9	1	5	5	12/26/95	Zeinstra et al.	340	825	
	5	4	4	2	3	4	0	08/15/95	Dykema	340	825	
					Τ						-	
	Г				T	1						
					Γ		Г					
				Ī	Τ		Γ					
			Γ		Π							
					T							
		•				•	•	FOR	EIGN PATENT DOCUMEN	ITS		

	DOCUMENT NUMBER									NT	NU	мв	ER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANS	LATION
													YES	NO					

### OTHER DOCUMENTS (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	. I	
	[	
	ſ	
EXAMINE	:R	DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

(Form PTO-1449 [6-4])